

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
HOUSTON DIVISION

United States Courts
Southern District of Texas
ENTERED

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LUIS SANTANA,

Plaintiff,

v.

HANOVER COMPRESSOR COMPANY,
et al.,

Defendants.

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CIVIL ACTION NO. H-02-4541

Michael N. Milby, Clerk of Court


ORDER OF DISMISSAL

More than 120 days have passed since this case was filed on December 6, 2002. Paragraph 9 of the court's Order for Conference (Docket Entry No. 2) states:

Fed. R. Civ. P. 4(m) requires defendant(s) to be served within 120 days after the filing of the complaint. The failure of plaintiff(s) to file proof of service within 120 days after the filing of the complaint may result in dismissal of this action by the court on its own initiative.

The court's file reflects no proof of service of summons and complaint on the defendant. Accordingly, this case is **DISMISSED without prejudice** for plaintiff's failure to prosecute pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 4(m).

SIGNED at Houston, Texas, on this 24th day of April, 2003.


SIM LAKE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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